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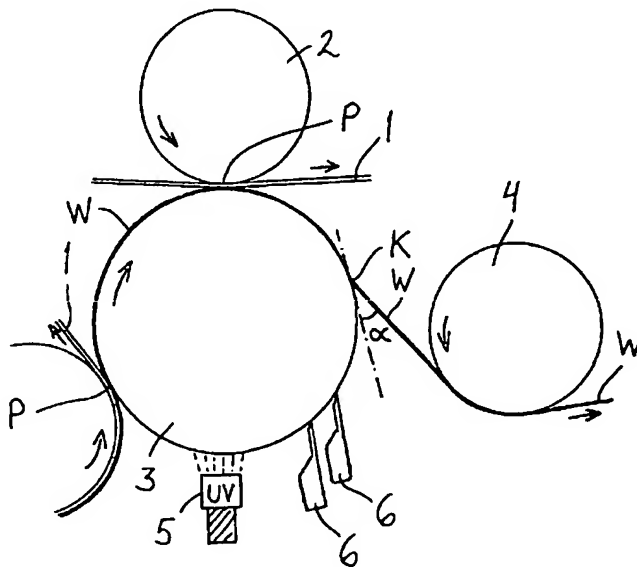
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(54) Title: A METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE PROPERTIES OF A SURFACE



(57) Abstract: In a method for adjusting the properties of a surface in a rotating member (3) that is in contact with a continuous moving material web (W) the surface of the rotating member (3) that is in contact with the material web (W) contains photocatalytically active material, light is directed to the surface of the rotating member (3) that is in contact with the material web (W), the light having such energy that it is capable of activating the photocatalytically active material, and the activation of the photocatalytically active material causes oxidation of substances on the surface of the rotating member (3) and/or changes in the hydrophilic properties of the surface.

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